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In re Application of Cadiz, et al.
Application No. 10/063,296
Filed: June 8, 2001
Attorney Docket No.: MCS-074-00
For: A SYSTEM AND PROCESS FOR PROVIDING DYNAMIC COMMUNICATION ACCESS AND INFORMATION AWARENESS AN INTERACTIVE PERIPHERAL DISPLAY

OFFICE OF PETITIONS ON PETITION

This decision is in response to the petition under 37 CFR $1.10\,(e)$, filed April 9, 2002 requesting that the above-identified application be accorded a filing date of June 8, 2001.

Petitioner alleges that the application was deposited in Express Mail service on June 8, 2001. Petitioner has provided evidence to this effect, including a copy of an "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" mailing label bearing tracking number EL749213875US (the same Express Mail number found on the Express Mail certificate of mailing accompanying the original application papers located in the official file) and a "date-in" of June 8, 2001. Additionally, petitioner has provided a copy of a return postcard bearing the above-referenced Express Mail number and date-stamped by the Office acknowledging receipt of an application transmittal form with declaration for electronic filing of application, compact disk for electronic filing, and Express Mail certicate of mailing.

A search of the USPS Express Mail Information Database indicates that a package bearing the above-referenced Express Mail label number was accepted by the USPS on June 8, 2001 and delivered to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 10, 2001.

In view of the above, the petition under 37 CFR 1.10(e) is GRANTED.

No fee is due in connection with this matter.

This application is being forwarded to the Official of Initial Patent Examination for further processing along with issuance of a filing receipt designing June 8, 2001 as the date of filing.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision may be directed to Petitions Attorney Alesia M. Brown at (703) 305-0310.

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